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The Money Monitor

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Week of May 13-17, 2002

Net five-year cost of House authorizations passed by the House *this week*: \$17,966,300,000.00

H.R. 4044 H.R. 1925	Nutria Eradication and Marshland Restoration Act Waco Mammoth Site Area Interior Study Act	\$30.0 million \$0.3 million
H.R. 2051	Regional Plant Genome and Gene Expression Research	
	Act	\$36.0 million
H.R. 3694	Highway Funding Restoration Act	\$4,400.0 million
H.R. 4737	Personal Responsibility, Work, and Family	
	Promotion Act	\$13,500.0 million
		
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Year-to-date total of net five-year costs of House-passed authorizations: \$432,245,810,000.00

Net five-year change in House-passed mandatory spending *this week*: \$117,237,000,000.00

H.R. 4069	Social Security Benefit Enhancements for Women Act	\$1,037.0 million
H.R. 4737	Personal Responsibility, Work, and Family	
	Promotion Act	\$116,200.0 million

THIS WEEK'S NET FIVE-YEAR CHANGE IN MANDATORY SPENDING \$117,237.0 million

Year-to-date net five-year change in House-passed mandatory spending: \$128,454,500,000.00

Net one-year cost of appropriations passed by the House *this week*: **\$0.00**

Year-to-date total of net one-year costs of House-passed appropriations: **\$0.00**

Net five-year revenue change by House bills passed *this week*: \$2,400,000,000.00

H.R. 4069 Social Security Benefit Enhancements for Women Act \$1,300.0 million

H.R. 4737 Personal Responsibility, Work, and Family

Promotion Act \$1,100.0 million

THIS WEEK'S NET FIVE-YEAR CHANGE IN REVENUE \$2,400.0 million

Year-to-date net five-year revenue change by House-passed bills: -\$11,625,000,000.00

An authorization explicitly allows funding for a certain program and / or directs a federal agency to take a certain action. Authorizations express the House's intent to spend, however, actual funding is provided through the annual appropriations process. Authorizations with no <u>net</u> cost, bills that would result in no significant <u>net</u> change in mandatory spending or federal revenue, and private-sector costs from federal mandates are not reported here.

Mandatory spending directly establishes an appropriation. No subsequent action is required for the money to be spent.

All numbers in "The Money Monitor" are positive unless otherwise indicated.

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